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## THE MADNESS OF A MAD EMPEROR.

Is Emperor William of Germany crazy? No human being but a madman would take the initiative and plunge the East into a war that will pauperize 300,000,000 people. Talk about Nero fiddling while Rome burned, that was a small blaze compared with the Kaiser's horrible act to demonstrate his own importance and a pig-headed opinion that he reigns with God.  
However, it is pleasing to note that God, History and Fate, always mete out to insane tyrant-rulers the Eternal Justice that is as certain as it is inexorable. Destiny will deal with the present Emperor of Germany and his score of palaces may be but smoldering ruins when the year ends.

## MAKING MEN OF CONVICTS.

Work of the State Board of Control received a high compliment at the hands of Dr. George A. Zellers, a noted alienist, at the meeting of Alienists and Neurologists under the auspices of the Chicago Medical Society, when he introduced Dr. H. P. Sights, Superintendent of the Western Hospital, by saying: "The Kentucky State Board of Control made the best report in point of progress and innovations of any State institutions in the United States. They have abolished restraints absolutely, and they maintain a system of kind and humane treatment, hydrotherapy and entertainment as a diversion and means for restoring and managing patients that have proven extraordinary successful."—State Journal.

## WHAT DIMES WILL DO.

Land is cheap. For easy figuring let us say it is worth \$160 an acre. A square rod, then, is worth only \$1, and ten cents' worth will be a little more than twenty-seven square feet, or a little farm slightly more than five feet on a side. How often a boy will waste a dime and think nothing of it. For a dime he can buy land enough to hold a flower bed, four hills of clover or a peach tree! The boy who can save a dime can become rich. Make a dime look like a tiny farm. The boy who learns to save a dime and to know values will some day come into his own.—Breder's Gazette.

## HIGHEST PRICE FOR CATTLE.

W. S. Bensley, of Fayette county, sold to Monte Fox, of Danville, agent for Armour & Co., 180 fine export cattle, averaging 1,510 pounds. A record price of \$132.12 1/2 per head, or a total of \$23,782.50 was received for the lot. Mr. Bensley has been in the cattle business for many years, but states that this is the highest price he has ever received.

## HOW THE "PROGRESSIVES"

ARE PETERING OUT.  
In the Democratic primary for Congress Haley received 13 votes, Young 22, Haney 11, and Perry 2. But seven Progressive votes were cast in the county, two at Concord, one at Valley, two in Vanceburg No. 2, one at Petersburg and one at Tollesboro. Vance received 5 and Jolly 2.—Vanceburg Sun.

## "LESE MAJESTE" WILL GET ITS JUST DUES.

The fight today is the feudal-military aristocratic element of Austria and Germany striving to show itself indispensable. There is no other reason for a fight than this. The nations are plunged into war to save the last survival of the dark ages.—The Wall Street Journal.

## COUNT TEN FOR "OILY" JEEMS.

At least one thing may be said in favor of our good Governor, "Jeems" B. He is a doggone graceful loser. And the old gentleman is not used to defeat either.—Carlisle Mercury.

Sugar has advanced 80 cents per hundred. The sweet thing!

## GEORGE SAID LET THEM FIGHT IT OUT.

"Europe has a set of primary interests which to us have none or a very remote relation. Hence she must be engaged in frequent controversies, the causes of which are essentially foreign to our concerns."—George Washington.

The surprising news from Washington that Mrs. Woodrow Wilson is dying in the White House comes like a shadow of darkness over this now peaceful land. The cares of State are enough to alone worry President Wilson, and in these days and nights of his domestic sorrow every one grieves with him and hopes that God will give him strength.

In the management and control of his own financial affairs Mr. Bryan is thrifty, even stingy, but when it comes to giving away \$25,000,000 of Uncle Sam's money he is the personification of generosity.—Commercial Tribune.

The remaking of the map of the old world is now in progress, and just to imagine the blood that will flow, and the suffering that will ensue. Verily the new European map will be painted with an ocean of human blood.

"The divine right of kings" is now in the spotlight. In a few months, or even a few weeks, the world will know just "who is who."

Even Mr. Carnegie's Peace Palace (?) at The Hague is in danger of being wrecked by a war bomb.

Wheat is coming down off its high perch and the national biscuit may not rise in price again.

General Sherman remarked that "war is hell", but the 1914 war is even worse than that.

Who was it wrote: "No more shall the war cry sever or the winding rivers be red," etc.

Ernst carried Lewis County by 54 and Beckham carried it by 174.

Uncle Andy Carnegie should hang a little crep on the doors of his "Peace Palaces."

King George might put the London suffragettes on the firing line.

How can there be a war without Col. Roosevelt in it?



## THE DAILY NOVELETTE.

The Confession of a Confessionist.  
She didn't know she loved her Tim,  
Until the coop he flew it;  
And when she came to look for him  
She realized she knew it.

It was an unusually busy morning for Primer Life, the great "confession" writer.

Hardly had he risen to start work at his typewriter (he was always at work at 5 in the morning) when Glyndon Scutter, editor of Nobody's Magazine, called him on the long-distance telephone.

"Mr. Life," he said, "do you think you could write the confessions of a second mate and have them at the office by noon? Those confessions of a union cowboy that we ran last month called forth letters of congratulation from ranchmen all over the country."

Assuring the editor of Nobody's Magazine that he would do his best, although he had to write the confessions of a professional traveling lecturer for his Half-past Three Magazine that same morning, Primer Life hung up with a sigh.

At 9 o'clock the editor of The Lookout telephoned to order the confessions of a mountain climber by 3 the next afternoon.

At noon Sigsbee, editor of the Spigot called up and wanted to know how soon he could have the confessions of a smuggler.

At 12:30 his face lighted up, for it was lunch time, the one hour of the day when he was not tied to his desk.

"Some time I'll have to go on a vacation," he sighed as he reached for his hat. "Here I am forty-seven years old, and I've been so busy writing confessions covering every part of the world that I've never been out of this little town of Spoofsbury in my life!"—Louisville Times.

## DEADLY GASHES

Made On Body of John Neal By Sam Moore—Cowardly Affray On the River.

(Vanceburg Sun.)  
Sam Moore cut John Neal almost to ribbons on the river shore at Fairview late Sunday afternoon, and Neal is in a dangerous condition on his houseboat on the Ohio side directly across from the scene of the cutting. After the cutting Moore took to the hills but was arrested Monday afternoon by Constable Sam Bigelow, Jailor Henry Sullivan and Henry Moore and is now in jail awaiting the outcome of Neal's injuries.

Neal was immediately brought to Vanceburg in a motor boat and his wounds were dressed by Dr. Fultz. He was cut eleven times and it took a spool of silk thread to sew up the wounds. The worst cut was one on the lower part of his breast which went to the hollow and exposed the lungs.

Neal was rowing up the Kentucky shore in a jobboat and was accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. Alice Tolle, and Miss Ola Johnson, when Moore and his stepson, Edward Thatcher, according to the Johnson girl's story, began to abuse Neal and threaten him. Neal landed the boat to let his aunt out and Moore waded out into the river to his waist to meet them and commenced cutting Neal before he got out of the boat. Neal struck him with an oar and was getting the best of it when Moore's stepson hit Neal with a rock. Ola Johnson then jumped out of the boat in water up to her neck and waded ashore and beat Moore off of Neal with an oar and gave Neal a chance to get in the boat. She then shoved the boat in the river so far Moore could not get to him, and Neal's two brothers, who had seen the fight from the Ohio side came after him in a motor boat and took him to the doctor after chasing Moore away.

## A PRINTER'S MISTAKE.

In handling the slugs which make up the lines in a newspaper, and in separating the various items, the make-up man sometimes gets the lines mixed up and they naturally read rather queer. As an illustration of what can happen we cite the mixup of the Bangor (Pa.) News a few days ago when the printer got a wedding and an auction sale mixed up with the following results:

"William Smith, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Smith, and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my farm one mile east, in the presence of 70 guests, including two mules and 12 head of cattle.

"Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot for the parties, average 1,250 pounds on the hoof. The beautiful home of the bride was decorated with one sulky rake, one feed grinder and two sets of work harness nearly new, and just before the ceremony was pronounced the Mendel and Sons wedding march rendered by one milk cow, five years old, one Jersey cow and one sheep, who carrying a bunch of bride's roses in her hand was very beautiful. She wore on light spring wagon, two crates of apples, three racks of hay, one grindstone of mouseline de sole and trimmings with about one hundred bushels of spoils. The bridal couple left yesterday on an extended trip. Terms, spot cash."

## NATIONAL GROWTH.

Speaking of the growth of Great Britain, H. G. Wells says:  
"It has been made in spite of authority and officialdom, as no other empire was ever made. The nominal rulers of Britain never planned it; it happened almost in spite of them. Their chief contribution to its history was been the loss of the United States."

That is to say a nation is a natural product. It is the result of law and not of arbitrary planning. Men are often in the way. Much of the misfortune that comes to society, and the nation is of man's planning. Poor fellow, he thinks he is doing something for mankind, but he is only interfering. God's laws alone are sufficient for all needs. If, for instance, the world was run on the ten commandments and they were faithfully obeyed, we wouldn't need another statute. Certainly Great Britain suffered for man's interference, for, according to Mr. Wells, it was that which caused the mother country to lose her colonies.—Ashland Independent.

A woman goes to the telephone in fear and trembling expecting to hear that her boy has been drowned and learns that her husband will be a little late to dinner.

If Father spends three hours at home on Sunday and doesn't kill or maim a few of the children, he spends the rest of the week bragging about his Patience.

Azra Ellington, who died the other day, will long be remembered in our town as one of the most persistent competitors of the southwest wind.

As between a Mother's care of a new born baby and a Youth's care of a new born mustache, it is hard to say which receives the most attention.

There should be more consideration for the working man who never needs help and less for the one or whom the hat must be passed.

A good many of those who talk of "Dear old Yale" never were in New Haven.

If a story reflects on a prominent man the people believe it to be true.

## JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Which Is Better—Try An Experiment or Profit by a Maysville Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Most be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, A lame, weak, or aching one, Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures.

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A young man can go through college in four years, but it takes him the better part of a lifetime to learn how to live he knows.

Senator W. J. Stone was renominated by the Missouri Democrats with a plurality of over 10,000 votes.

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